The Hero’s Journey – Final Test Review

*Beowulf, The Iliad, Le Morte d’Arthur, Sir Gawain and the Green Knight*

Terms to know:

* alliteration (be able to give examples from both Beowulf and Gawain)
* kenning (be able to give an example from Beowulf)
* epic poems – how are Beowulf and The Iliad examples?
* caesura
* romance
* chivalry
* characterization
* the steps of the hero’s journey – be able to identify the steps

Characters to know:

* Beowulf
* Hrothgar
* Herot
* Grendel
* Grendel’s mother
* Arthur
* Guinnevere
* Launcelot
* Gawain
* The Green Knight
* Achilles
* Hector
* Priam

There will be 20 multiple choice questions (5 on each work) that will test your knowledge of the plot and themes of the works. There will also be approximately 20 matching questions on the above terms. Furthermore, there will be several steps of the hero’s journey you will need to identify.

The last section is a short reading that details an example of the hero’s journey. Your job will be to identify where the departure, initiation, and return stages of the journey are in a written response.